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FOR: CONTROL OF GENE EXPRESSION IN PLANTS BY RECEPTOR

MEDIATED TRANSACTIVATION IN THE PRESENCE OF A

CHEMICAL LIGAND

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## COMMUNICATION FORWARDING FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicant encloses herewith a new set of formal drawings for FIGS. 1-3 (three sheets total).

Notice of the approval of these drawings is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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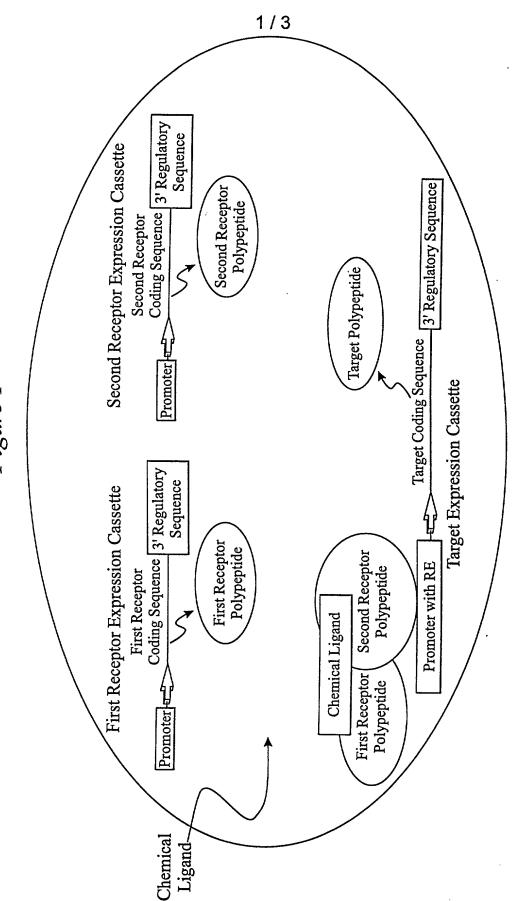


Figure 1

2/3 Coding Sequence 3' Regulatory USP Expression Cassette Target Coding Sequence 3' Regulatory Sequence USP Polypeptide USP Target Polypeptide Promoter 4 Target Expression Cassette Coding Sequence 3' Regulatory Promoter with EcRE EcR Expression Cassette EcR Polypeptide Polypeptide USP EcR Mimic EcR Polypeptide Promoter F Mimic-

Figure 2

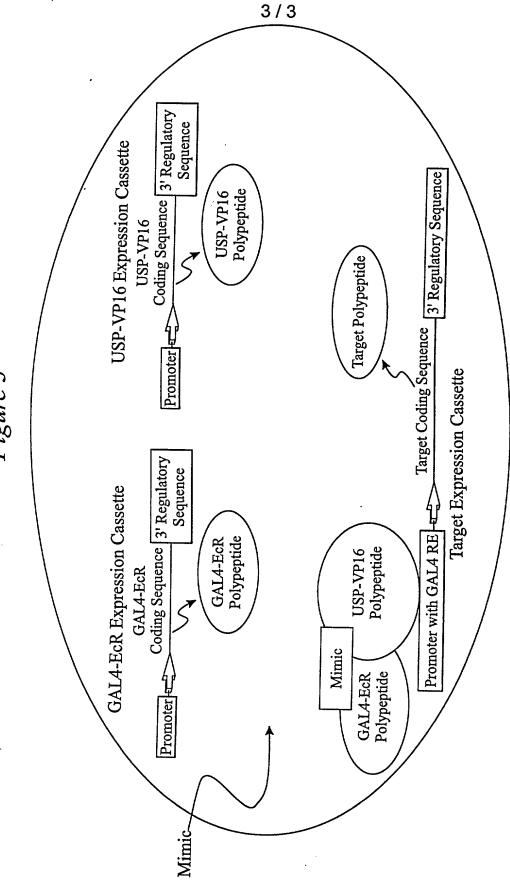


Figure 3